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First Named Inventor: **LUGG, PAUL S.**
Application No.: **10/021,161** Group Art Unit: **1772**
Filed: **December 13, 2001** Examiner: **Alicia A. Chevalier**
Title: **ABRASIVE ARTICLE FOR THE DEPOSITION AND
POLISHING OF A CONDUCTIVE MATERIAL**

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the outstanding Office Action, mailed March 26, 2003, in the above-identified application.

Upon review of the file, it was noted that the initialed Form PTO-1449 filed with the Disclosure Statement dated February 5, 2003 has not been received. It is requested that the Examiner initial the Form PTO-1449, a copy of which is enclosed for the Examiner's convenience, and return it to the undersigned attorney.

Under the provisions of 37 CFR § 1.136(a), Applicant petitions to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application. The requested extension and appropriate fee are as follows (check time period desired):

- ☐ 37 CFR § 1.17(a)(1) - Extension within first month
☒ 37 CFR § 1.17(a)(2) - Extension within second month
☐ 37 CFR § 1.17(a)(3) - Extension within third month
☐ 37 CFR § 1.17(a)(4) - Extension within fourth month.

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